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Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.7 million head on June 1, 2013. The inventory was three percent below June 1, 2012.

Placements in feedlots during May totaled 2.05 million, two percent below 2012. Net placements were 1.95 million head. During May, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 390,000, 600-699 pounds were 304,000, 700-799 pounds were 555,000 and 800 pounds and greater were 650,000. Marketings of fed cattle during May totaled 1.95 million, three percent below 2012 totaled. Other disappearance totaled 100,000 during May, unchanged from 2012.

Cattle Placed on Feed by Weight Group, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots, by Month - United States

Month	Year	Less than 600 lbs (1,000 head)	600-699 lbs (1,000 head)	700-799 lbs (1,000 head)	800+ lbs (1,000 head)	Total (1,000 head)
May	2012	520	365	530	669	2,084
April	2013	370	275	455	650	1,750
May	2013	390	304	555	650	2,049

Cattle and Calves on Feed, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots, by Month, State, and United States

State	Number on feed May		Placed during May		Marketed during May		Other disappearance during May		Number on feed June 1	
	2012 (1,000 head)	2013 (1,000 head)	2012 (1,000 head)	2013 (1,000 head)	2012 (1,000 head)	2013 (1,000 head)	2012 (1,000 head)	2013 (1,000 head)	2012 (1,000 head)	2013 (1,000 head)
Arizona	276	275	36	25	29	27	1	1	282	272
California	475	490	70	77	53	54	2	3	490	510
Colorado	1,030	960	180	170	170	150	20	20	1,020	960
Idaho	215	210	29	41	32	45	2	1	210	205
Iowa	650	620	59	65	64	72	5	3	640	610
Kansas	2,080	2,060	445	430	415	410	20	20	2,090	2,060
Nebraska	2,460	2,390	460	460	540	510	20	20	2,360	2,320
Oklahoma	295	295	81	78	54	61	2	2	320	310
South Dakota	245	225	35	39	45	45	5	4	230	215
Texas	2,710	2,540	580	570	500	465	20	15	2,770	2,630
Washington	224	220	43	40	46	45	1	1	220	214
Other States	450	450	66	54	69	64	2	10	445	430
United States	11,110	10,735	2,084	2,049	2,017	1,948	100	100	11,077	10,736

Hatchery Production

Florida

The May hatch of broiler-type chicks, at 4.49 million, was one percent below a year earlier. Broiler-type eggs in incubators on June 1 at 3.66 million, was ten percent below a year ago.

United States

Broiler-type chicks hatched during May 2013 totaled 775 million, down slightly from May 2012. Eggs in incubators totaled 634 million on June 1, 2013, up one percent from a year earlier. Leading breeders placed 7.49 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during May 2013, up slightly from May 2012. Egg-type chicks hatched during May 2013 totaled 48.3 million, up eight percent from May 2012. Eggs in incubators totaled 42.4 million on June 1, 2013, up 10 percent from a year ago. Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 215 thousand during May 2013, down 29 percent from May 2012.

Layers and Eggs

Florida

Table egg production in Florida during May 2013 was 174 million eggs, one percent below the previous month. Total egg production was 179 million eggs compared to 181 million eggs the previous month.

United States

United States egg production totaled 8.02 billion during May 2013, up three percent from last year. Production included 6.92 billion table eggs, and 1.10 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.02 billion were broiler-type and 79 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during May 2013 averaged 345 million, up one percent from last year. May egg production per 100 layers was 2,327 eggs, up one percent from May 2012. All layers in the United States on June 1, 2013 totaled 346 million, up two percent from last year. The 346 million layers consisted of 289 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 53.5 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.15 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on June 1, 2013, averaged 75.2 eggs per 100 layers, up one percent from June 1, 2012.

Layers and Eggs-Selected States and United States May 2013

Selected States	Average layers on hand	Egg production	Rate of lay per 100 layers
	(1,000)	(millions)	
Alabama.....	9,432	189	2,004
Arkansas.....	12,852	267	2,077
California.....	19,155	456	2,381
Colorado.....	4,103	105	2,559
Connecticut.....	2,342	57	2,434
Florida.....	7,842	179	2,283
Georgia.....	18,081	383	2,118
Illinois.....	3,943	87	2,206
Indiana.....	26,462	629	2,377
Iowa.....	52,514	1,251	2,382
Maine.....	3,489	85	2,436
Maryland.....	2,367	54	2,281
Michigan.....	12,246	300	2,450
Minnesota.....	10,107	241	2,384
Mississippi.....	5,899	120	2,034
Missouri.....	7,616	183	2,403
Nebraska.....	9,058	231	2,550
New York.....	4,269	105	2,460
North Carolina...	13,063	265	2,029
Ohio.....	28,489	673	2,362
Oregon.....	2,367	62	2,619
Pennsylvania....	24,690	625	2,531
South Carolina..	4,260	99	2,324
South Dakota....	2,483	64	2,578
Texas.....	18,826	426	2,263
Utah.....	3,739	89	2,380
Virginia.....	2,718	59	2,171
Washington.....	6,970	167	2,396
Wisconsin.....	5,065	118	2,330
Other States ¹	20,299	453	2,232
United States.....	344,746	8,022	2,327

¹ Includes data for states not listed in this table.

Hatchery Production - United States

Item	2012	2013	2013 as % of 2012
	(1,000)	(1,000)	
Egg Type			
Eggs in incubators: June 1.....	38,423	42,363	110
Chicks hatched during May.....	44,612	48,319	108
Chicks hatched Jan through May.....	207,785	216,834	104
Pullets hatched during May for intended placements			
Hatchery supply flocks.....	302	215	71
Cumulative potential placements 7-18 months earlier ¹	3,098	2,764	89
Broiler-Type			
Eggs in incubators June 1.....	627,531	633,659	101
Chicks hatched during May.....	777,916	774,982	100
Chicks hatched Jan through May.....	3,748,023	3,744,945	100
Pullets hatched during May for intended placements			
hatchery supply flocks.....	7,472	7,489	100
Cumulative potential placements 7-15 months earlier ²	62,941	60,934	97

¹ 2013 includes pullet chicks hatched November 2011 through October 2012.

² 2013 includes pullet chicks hatched February 2012 through October 2012

Milk Production

Florida: Florida dairy farms produced 218 million pounds of milk during May 2013, one percent below the previous month, and the same as May 2012

United States: Milk production in the 23 major States during May 2013 totaled 16.5 billion pounds, up 0.9 percent from May 2012. April revised production at 16.1 billion pounds, was up 0.2 percent from April 2012. The April revision represented a decrease of 20 million pounds or 0.1 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate.

Milk Cows, Production – Florida, United States

Month and year	Milk Cows ¹	Monthly milk Production ²	
		Per cow	Monthly Total
	(1,000)	(pounds)	(million pounds)
Florida			
May 2012	(NA)	(NA)	218
April 2013	(NA)	(NA)	220
May 2013	(NA)	(NA)	218
23 Major States			
May 2012	(NA)	(NA)	16,384
April 2013	(NA)	(NA)	16,059
May 2013	(NA)	(NA)	16,525
United States			
May 2012	(NA)	(NA)	17,601
April 2013	(NA)	(NA)	17,250
May 2013	(NA)	(NA)	17,742

¹ Includes dry cows. Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk fed to calves.

Milk Production by Quarters - United States

Month	Milk cows ¹		Milk per cow ²		Milk Production ²	
	2012	2013	2002	2013	2012	2013
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)
January-March	9,254	(NA)	5,513	(NA)	51,044	50,495
April-June	9,259	(NA)	5,562	(NA)	51,509	
July-Sept	9,214	(NA)	5,284	(NA)	48,675	
Oct-Dec	9,199	(NA)	5,337	(NA)	49,096	
Annual Total	9,231	(NA)	21,697	(NA)	200,324	

(NA) Not available

¹ Includes dry cows. Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk fed to calves

Hogs and Pigs

United States: United States inventory of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2013 was 66.6 million head. This was down slightly from June 1, 2012, but up two percent from March 1, 2013. Breeding inventory, at 5.88 million head, was up slightly from last year, and up one percent from the previous quarter. Market hog inventory, at 60.8 million head, was down slightly from last year, but up two percent from last quarter. The March-May 2013 pig crop, at 30.1 million head, was up slightly from 2012.

Hogs and Pigs Inventory Number, Sows Farrowing and Pig Crop - United States

Item	2012	2013	2013 Percent of 2012
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
June 1 Inventory ¹			
All hogs and pigs	66,659	66,647	100
Kept for breeding	5,862	5,882	100
Market	60,797	60,765	100
Market hogs and pigs by weight groups			
Under 50 pounds	19,871	19,676	99
50 – 119 pounds	18,119	18,052	100
120 - 179 pounds	12,203	12,339	101
180 pounds and over	10,604	10,698	101
Sows farrowing			
December-February ²	2,864	2,879	101
March-May	2,982	2,921	98
December-May ^{1 2}	5,847	5,800	99
June-August	2,928	2,925	100
September-November	2,888	2,917	101
June-November ¹	5,817	5,842	100
Pig crop			
December-February ²	28,550	29,019	102
March-May	30,077	30,111	100
December-May ^{1 2}	58,627	59,130	101
June-August	29,654		
September-November	29,320		
June-November	58,974		

¹ May not add due to rounding.

² December preceding year.

³ Intentions for 2013.

SPECIAL NOTE

This is the final edition of the Monthly Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry release from USDA-NASS Florida Field Office. This data will be available on line in the USDA-NASS release located at www.nass.usda.gov under publications.

Livestock Slaughter

Florida

Commercial red meat production in Florida for May 2013 was 11.2 million pounds, up one percent from last month but 18 percent above May 2012.

United States

Commercial red meat production for the United States totaled 4.15 billion pounds in May 2013, down one percent from 4.18 billion pounds produced in May 2012.

Beef and Veal Production at 2.23 billion pounds was slightly below the previous year. Cattle slaughter totaled 2.86 million head, down slightly from May 2012. The average liveweight was up nine pounds from the previous year, at 1,289 pounds. Veal production totaled 9.1 million pounds, 12 percent below May a year ago. Calf slaughter totaled 58,200 head, down two percent from May 2012. The average liveweight was down 29 pounds from last year, at 266 pounds.

Pork production totaled 1.90 billion pounds, down one percent from the previous year. Hog slaughter totaled 9.22 million head, down one percent from May 2012. The average liveweight was down one pound from the previous year.

Lamb and mutton production, at 14.3 million pounds, was up five percent from May 2012. Sheep slaughter totaled 204,500 head, 14 percent above last year. The average live weight was 140 pounds, down 11 pounds from May a year ago.

Commercial Slaughter and Red Meat Production - Florida and United States

Source and kind	May 2012	April 2013	May 2013	Year to date 2012	Year to-date 2013
Florida					
Calf:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	0.1	(D)	0.1	0.3	0.2
Total liveweight1,000 pounds	38	29	35	125	93
Hogs:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	6.2	5.0	5.5	27.8	29.2
Total liveweight1,000 pounds					
Sheep and Lambs:					
Head slaughtered1,000 heads	0.2	0.6	1.1	1.0	2.1
Total liveweight1,000 pounds	13	36	60	65	154
Red meat production ¹million pounds	9.5	11.1	11.2	46.5	50.2
United States					
Cattle:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	2875.6	2,729.5	2,863.9	13,470.8	13,372.5
Total liveweightmillion pounds	3,674	3,528	3,683	17,390	17,457
Average liveweightpounds	1,280	1,295	1,289	1,294	1,308
Beef productionmillion pounds	2,231.9	2,127.3	2,228.0	10,503.9	10,527.5
Calves:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	59.2	58.6	58.2	303.1	310.0
Total liveweightmillion pounds	17	16	15	89	80
Average liveweightpounds	295	266	266	282	259
Veal productionmillion pounds	10.4	9.1	9.1	50.5	46.9
Hogs:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	9,285.0	9,362.4	9,215.2	46,216.7	46,451.1
Total liveweightmillion pounds	2,573	2,593	2,541	12,851	12,847
Average liveweightpounds	277	277	276	278	277
Pork productionmillion pounds	1,926.8	1,941.8	1,899.9	9,626.7	9,618.9
Sheep and Lambs:					
Head slaughtered 1,000 head	180.0	191.7	204.5	881.0	931.4
Total liveweightmillion pounds	27	27	29	131	132
Lamb and Muttonmillion pounds	13.6	13.4	14.3	65.1	65.3
Red meat production ¹million pounds	4,182.7	4,091.7	4,151.3	20,246.1	20,258.6

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(X) Not applicable.

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ Includes total beef, veal, pork, lamb, and mutton.